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Foundations of Tribal Child Welfare Casework Practice

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this training, participants will:

1. Become familiar with how to assess and engage with the families they serve from a relational worldview approach
2. Know the basic elements of a tribal child welfare case and where to begin in managing a case throughout its lifecycle
3. Communicate key information to write in a report to court
4. Know why documentation is essential and information standardly kept

Understand the importance of meaningful supervision and shared decision making for better outcomes for the children and families served and the staff providing those services